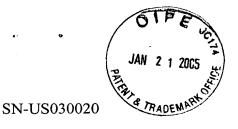
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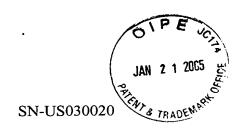
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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the <u>Listing of Claims</u>, which begins on page 4 of this paper. Claims 1-23 are pending, with claims 1, 6, and 13 being the only independent claims.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include 1 attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.